

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN**

RAFFEL SYSTEMS, LLC,

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No. 18-CV-1765

**MAN WAH HOLDINGS LTD, INC.,
MAN WAH (USA) INC., and XYZ
COMPANIES 1-10,**

Defendants.

ORDER ON MOTION TO RELEASE BOND

Plaintiff Raffel Systems, LLC moves pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 65(c) and Civil Local Rule 7(h) to release the injunction bond imposed as a component of the preliminary injunction entered in this case in July 2019. (Docket # 450.) Specifically, on July 11, 2019, the Court entered an order granting Raffel’s motion for a temporary restraining order and preliminary injunction against Defendants Man Wah Holdings Ltd., Inc. and Man Wah (USA), Inc. (collectively “Man Wah”). (Docket # 87.) As part of the Order, Man Wah agreed to voluntarily implement several manufacturing procedures, enumerated in the Order, until final judgment was rendered in the litigation. (*Id.* at 1–5.) In addition, Man Wah was ordered to provide monthly reports to both Raffel and the Court regarding replacement of the accused cup holders. (*Id.* at 5.) Raffel was ordered to post bond in the amount of \$2 million. (*Id.* at 6.)

In June 2022, a jury in this district returned a verdict finding that Man Wah infringed Raffel’s trade dress. (Docket # 439.) Given this verdict, Raffel argues the Court should release the bond no later than the afternoon of July 11, 2022, as Raffel is obligated to make a

nonrefundable payment of \$40,000.00 to its bond surety, the Guarantee Company of North America, USA, by that date. (Declaration of Paul Stangl at ¶¶ 2–3, Docket # 451.)

Man Wah does not oppose Raffel foregoing renewal of the bond as set forth in the injunction order. (Docket # 455 at 2.) However, Man Wah requests that it be released from the requirement that it submit monthly reports regarding replacement cup holders. (*Id.*) Both requests are granted.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that Raffel's motion for release of injunction bond (Docket # 450) is **GRANTED**. The injunction bond is immediately released.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Man Wah is released from its requirement to submit monthly reports regarding replacement cup holders.

Dated at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 11th day of July, 2022.

BY THE COURT

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Nancy Joseph", written over a horizontal line.

NANCY JOSEPH
United States Magistrate Judge